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 DATE : 28 August 1958

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INFO :

ROUTINE

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1. FOLL ONLY SIGNIFICANT ITEMS RECENTLY ACQUIRED:

2. PRESENCE ON 20 AUGUST OF 14 LARGE AND 10 MEDIUM FREIGHTERS AT LATAKIA, AND REPORTING OF HEAVY VEHICULAR ACTIVITY AND CONSIDERABLE OPEN STORAGE ON THE QUAY, PROBABLY REFLECTS IN PART RECENT NEW ARMS SHIPMENTS FROM THE SOVIET BLOC AND FROM EGYPT.

3. SIXTEEN QUOTE PROBABLE CRATES UNQUOTE MEASURING FEET WERE REPORTED ON THE DECK OF A LARGE CARGO SHIP IN LATAKIA ON 20 AUGUST WHICH MAY INDICATE DELIVERY OF NEW (SQUADRON SIZE) SHIPMENT OF JET FIGHTERS.

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COORDINATING OFFICERS

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James Q. Reber
 RELEASING OFFICER

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